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House Resolution No. 2312

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State senior citizens who bring glory and honor to themselves and to this great state through the excellence of their achievement in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn of Saint Louis, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a professional, volunteer, and highly involved citizen in her hometown; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn recently enhanced her already impressive record of accomplishments when she was selected as a semifinalist in the Seventeenth Annual Missouri Older Worker competition sponsored by the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn will be publically lauded during a visit to Jefferson City from April 26 to April 27, 2007, that will include events at the State Capitol, Governor's Mansion, and Truman Hotel and Convention Center; and

Whereas, representing the Saint Louis City region of the Missouri Outstanding Older Worker contest, Marietta Hearn is employed as a Site Manager for Grace Hill/Patch Neighborhood Center; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn has fulfilled many duties and responsibilities while with Grace Hill/Patch Neighborhood Center, including those associated with the Neighborhood College, the food pantry, the clothing room, emergency assistance, the youth group, the 100 Neediest program sponsored by United Way and the <u>Post Dispatch</u>, private adoptions, the Senior Program, SLAAA, grant writing, presentations, trust funds, and the annual award banquet; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn has developed and maintained an exceptional reputation for her communication, computer, and supervisory skills; and

Whereas, Marietta Hearn works full-time, volunteers an additional twenty-five to thirty hours each week, and does volunteer work from her home:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Marietta Hearn as a semifinalist in the 2007 Missouri Older Worker of the Year contest and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Marietta Hearn of Saint Louis, Missouri.

Offered by	
-	Representative Jeanette Mott Oxford
	District No. 59
fourth Gene the above is	n, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety- eral Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that a true and correct copy of House Resolution dopted April 19, 2007.
Rod Jetton,	Speaker